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CONTAINING INVISIBLE TEAR SEAM, AND PROCESS OF  
MAKING THE SAME**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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This is a response to the Office action dated January 12, 2005 (Paper No. 01092005).

**Remarks** begin on Page 2 of this Paper.